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PRESS RELEASE

Date/Time of Release: Friday, February 03, 2006 1:45 p.m.
Date/Time of Occurrence Friday, February 03, 2006 8:30 a.m.
Nature of Event: Motion to Provide Marijuana to Kubby Dropped
Location of Call: Placer County Jail, Auburn
Released by: Dena Erwin (530) 889-6922

SHERIFF EDWARD N. BONNER RELEASES THE FOLLOWING:



Steven W. Kubby

The motion to provide Placer County Jail inmate Steven W. Kubby with medical marijuana during his incarceration was dropped by his attorney during a court appearance in Auburn Friday morning.

Placer County Counsel had filed documents with the court opposing the motion to provide Kubby with marijuana in the jail. County Counsel was present and prepared to argue against the motion, when Kubby's attorney William McPike told Superior Court Judge Robert McElhany that Kubby's medical condition had "stabilized" and for the time being did not require the medical marijuana that he uses to treat a long-term condition.

Around-the-clock medical care is available to Kubby, as it is to all inmates at the 600-bed facility.

Kubby was booked at the Placer County Jail on Friday, Jan. 27, the day after he was deported from Canada. He had fled Placer County to avoid serving a 120-day jail sentence imposed in 2003 for possessing illegal drugs.

Kubby's next court appearance is scheduled for Feb. 15 at 1 p.m. at the jail courtroom regarding his probation violation.